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Direct Hay Weighted Average Report for week ending 4/16/2021

| Volume |           |                          |           |  |  |  |  |
|--------|-----------|--------------------------|-----------|--|--|--|--|
|        | This Week | Last Reported (4/5/2021) | Last Year |  |  |  |  |
| Tons:  |           |                          |           |  |  |  |  |
| Нау    | 5825      | 6751                     | 0         |  |  |  |  |
| Total  | 5825      | 6751                     | 0         |  |  |  |  |

Please Note: The above volumes (tonnage, acres, and bales) listed on this USDA LPGMN report are for confirmed trades only, it does not include estimated volume (tonnage) for bids or offers to the trade.

Special Note: North Inter-Mountains: Siskiyou, Modoc, Shasta, Lassen, and Plumas. Sacramento Valley: Tehama, Glenn, Butte, Colusa, Sutter, Yuba, Sierra, Nevada, Placer, Yolo, El Dorado, Solano, Sacramento, Amador, and Alpine. North San Joaquin Valley: San Joaquin, Calaveras, Stanislaus, Tuolumne, Mono, Merced, Mariposa. Central San Joaquin Valley: Madera, Fresno, Kings, Tulare, and Inyo. South: Kern, Northeast Los Angeles, and Western San Bernardino. Southeast: Eastern San Bernardino, Riverside, and Imperial.

Compared to last week: Prices remained steady over all regions with moderate demand. North San Joaquin Valley region had a trade of almond hulls at 110.00 this week. According to the Crop Progress Report April 12, 2021, in Tulare County, winter grain fields were in different stages of growth, ranging from midway to full maturity, and harvest was beginning for silage. Corn was growing normally. Weed control was a priority as temperatures rose and days became longer. Rotational crops were growing rapidly. The first cutting of alfalfa began. Irrigation continued in grain and other field crops. In the Sacramento Valley, dryland wheat was looking very stressed due to lack of moisture. Irrigated wheat fields were heading out. Land preparation for planting corn, safflower, rice, and other field crops were being completed.

| North Inter-Mountains                      |            |                    |         |             |                    |          |  |  |  |
|--|------------|--------------------|---------|-------------|--------------------|----------|--|--|--|
| Hay (Conventional)                         |            |                    |         |             |                    |          |  |  |  |
| Brome Grass - Good/Premium (Trade/Per Ton) |            |                    |         |             |                    |          |  |  |  |
|  | <u>Qty</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | Wtd Avg | Freight/Use | <u>Description</u> | Crop Age |  |  |  |
| Small Square                               | 50         | 180.00             | 180.00  | F.O.BRetail |                    |          |  |  |  |
|  |            |                    |         |             |                    |          |  |  |  |
| North San Joaquin Valley                   |            |                    |         |             |                    |          |  |  |  |
| Hay (Conventional)                         |            |                    |         |             |                    |          |  |  |  |
| Alfalfa - Supreme (Trade/Per Ton)          |            |                    |         |             |                    |          |  |  |  |
|  | <u>Qty</u> | Price Range        | Wtd Avg | Freight/Use | <u>Description</u> | Crop Age |  |  |  |
| Large Square 4x4                           | 1750       | 260.00-285.00      | 269.36  | F.O.B.      |                    | New Crop |  |  |  |
| Alfalfa - Premium (Trade/Per Ton)          |            |                    |         |             |                    |          |  |  |  |
|  | <u>Qty</u> | Price Range        | Wtd Avg | Freight/Use | <u>Description</u> | Crop Age |  |  |  |
| Large Square 4x4                           | 200        | 250.00             | 250.00  | F.O.B.      |                    |          |  |  |  |
| Small Square                               | 200        | 260.00             | 260.00  | F.O.BRetail |                    |          |  |  |  |
|  |            |                    |         |             |                    |          |  |  |  |

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| Alfalfa - Good (Trade/Per Ton)              |            |               |         |                    |                    |          |  |  |
|---|------------|---------------|---------|--------------------|--------------------|----------|--|--|
|   | <u>Qty</u> | Price Range   | Wtd Avg | <u>Freight/Use</u> | <u>Description</u> | Crop Age |  |  |
| Large Square 4x4                            | 50         | 200.00        | 200.00  | F.O.B.             |                    | New Crop |  |  |
| Forage Mix-Three Way - Good (Trade/Per Ton) |            |               |         |                    |                    |          |  |  |
|   | Qty        | Price Range   | Wtd Avg | Freight/Use        | <u>Description</u> | Crop Age |  |  |
| Large Square 4x4                            | 200        | 175.00        | 175.00  | F.O.B.             |                    |          |  |  |
| Wheat - Good (Trade/Per Ton)                |            |               |         |                    |                    |          |  |  |
|   | Qty        | Price Range   | Wtd Avg | Freight/Use        | Description        | Crop Age |  |  |
| Large Square 4x4                            | 200        | 175.00        | 175.00  | F.O.B.             |                    |          |  |  |
|   |            |               |         |                    |                    |          |  |  |
|   |            |               | Sacrame | ento Valley        |                    |          |  |  |
|   |            |               | Hay (Co | nventional)        |                    |          |  |  |
| Alfalfa - Supreme (Trad                     | le/Per Tor | n)            |         |                    |                    |          |  |  |
|   | <u>Qty</u> | Price Range   | Wtd Avg | <u>Freight/Use</u> | <u>Description</u> | Crop Age |  |  |
| Small Square                                | 325        | 250.00-260.00 | 256.15  | F.O.B.             |                    | New Crop |  |  |
|   |            |               |         |                    |                    |          |  |  |
|   |            |               | Sc      | outh               |                    |          |  |  |
| Hay (Conventional)                          |            |               |         |                    |                    |          |  |  |
| Alfalfa - Premium (Tra                      | de/Per To  | n)            |         |                    |                    |          |  |  |
|   | Qty        | Price Range   | Wtd Avg | <u>Freight/Use</u> | <u>Description</u> | Crop Age |  |  |
| Small Square                                | 150        | 259.00        | 259.00  | F.O.BRetail        |                    |          |  |  |
|   |            |               |         |                    |                    |          |  |  |
| Southeast                                   |            |               |         |                    |                    |          |  |  |
| Hay (Conventional)                          |            |               |         |                    |                    |          |  |  |
| Alfalfa - Premium/Supr                      | eme (Trad  | de/Per Ton)   |         |                    |                    |          |  |  |
|   | Qty        | Price Range   | Wtd Avg | <u>Freight/Use</u> | <u>Description</u> | Crop Age |  |  |
| Large Square 4x4                            | 2600       | 215.00-225.00 | 217.31  | F.O.B.             |                    |          |  |  |
| Alfalfa - Premium (Trade/Per Ton)           |            |               |         |                    |                    |          |  |  |
|   | Qty        | Price Range   | Wtd Avg | Freight/Use        | <u>Description</u> | Crop Age |  |  |
| Small Square                                | 100        | 215.00        | 215.00  | F.O.BRetail        |                    |          |  |  |
|   |            |               |         |                    |                    |          |  |  |

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